Numb. 9395.

The London Gazette.

published by Authority.

From Saturday Auguſt 3, to Tueſday Auguſt 6, 1754.

Whitehall, July 27, 1754.

WHEREAS, on the 17th Inſtant, a Written Paper of Verſes was dropt in the Market Place at Oxford, *containing the moſt infamous and audacious Expreſſions of Treaſon, Sedition, and Rebellion, and ſuch falſe, wicked, and traiterous Aſperſions of His Majeſty's Sacred Perſon and Government, as muſt raiſe the utmoſt Indignation and Abhorrence in all thoſe, who have any Senſe of the Duty, and Gratitude, they ſo juſtly owe to His Majeſty, or the leaſt Regard to the Peace and Happineſs of the Nation, under His Majeſty's moſt mild and gracious Government: In order that the Author, or Authors, of the ſaid preſumptuous, ſeditious, and treaſonable Paper, or any Perſon, or Perſons, concerned in writing, publiſhing, or dropping the ſame, as aforeſaid, may be diſcovered, and brought to the Puniſhment due to ſo high and heinous an Offence; Theſe are, in His Majeſty's Name, ſtrictly to require and enjoin all His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace, and all other Civil Magiſtrates whatſoever, to make diligent Search after the Author or Authors, Publiſher or Publiſhers, of the ſaid ſeditious, treaſonable, infamous, and abominable Paper, and that, on diſcovering him, her, or them, they do immediately apprehend and ſeize the ſaid Perſon, or Perſons, and carry him, her, or them, before a proper Magiſtrate, that the ſaid Offender, or Offenders, may be proſecuted for the ſaid Offence, according to the utmoſt Rigour of the Law. And all His Majeſty's loving Subjects are hereby ſtrictly charged, that they do uſe their utmoſt Endeavours to diſcover and apprehend the ſaid Offender, or Offenders. And for the Encouragement of all Perſons to be diligent and induſtrious in their Endeavours to make ſuch Diſcovery, His Majeſty does, hereby, promiſe a Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds *to any Perſon, or Perſons, who ſhall diſcover the Author, or Authors, or Publiſher, or Publiſhers, of the ſaid deteſtable, treaſonable, and ſeditious Paper, or any of them, ſo as ſuch Offender, or Offenders, be convicted thereof: For the Payment of which aforeſaid Reward, His Majeſty hath given the neceſſary Orders to the Lords Commiſſioners of His Treaſury.*

HOLDERNESSE.

AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 6th Day of *Auguſt* 1754,

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

His Majeſty in Council was this Day pleaſed to Order, That the Parliament which ſtands prorogued to Thurſday the Eighth of this Inſtant Auguſt, ſhould be further prorogued to Tueſday the Twenty Second Day of October next. And that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York, which ſtand prorogued to Friday the Ninth of this Inſtant Auguſt, ſhould be further prorogued to Wedneſday the Twenty Third Day of October next.

Lisbon, June 25. The King has received, by a Courier from Rome, the Pope's Approbation of his Majeſty's Nomination of Cardinal Attalaya to be Patriarch of this City, and he will ſhortly be inſtalled into that high Dignity. The three Men of War, that have been for ſome Time equipping in this Port, are to ſail To-morrow, under the Command of Commodore Brito, on a Cruize againſt the Corſairs of Barbary, who greatly interrupt the Navigation of theſe Seas. Laſt Week the two Ships that ſailed from hence ſome Time ago with Proviſions for Mazagan, returned ſafe from thence, and brought an Account, that a Detachment of Horſe of that Garriſon had lately had a ſmart Skirmiſh with a large Body of Moors, whom they had put to Flight, having killed about Twenty, amongſt whom were two of their Chiefs, and wounded and taken ſeveral others.

Gibraltar, June 28. We are informed by our laſt Advices from Tunis, that the Corſairs of that Place have proved very unſucceſsful in their late Cruizes againſt the Ships of the Chriſtian Powers, having taken but very few Prizes, and conſequently made but few Slaves.

Naples, July 5. Laſt Wedneſday Morning the Queen was ſafely delivered of a Princeſs, which happy Event was ſoon after made known to the People, by a triple Diſcharge of the Cannon of the Caſtle of St. Elme.

Petersbourg, July 8. The Empreſs, who ſince her Return from Moſcow has reſided at the Summer Palace, ſet out from thence laſt Thurſday for Peterſhorff, and was ſaluted at her Departure by a triple Diſcharge of the Cannon of the Fortreſs, and of all the Ships at Anchor in this Port. The Great Princeſs advances happily in her Pregnancy.

Leghorn, July 9. They write from Corſica, that ſince the Retreat of the Rebels from before Baſtia, the Marqueſs de Grimaldi has cauſed ſome new Batteries to be raiſed, and many new Works to be added for the better Defence of that Place; the Garriſon is alſo greatly augmented, and they doubt not of giving the Rebels a warm Reception in Caſe they return.

Ancona,

Ancona, July 12. A few Days ago two Ships anchored in this Port, the one from Smyrna, and the other from Salonica; but as ſeveral of their Crew had died as it were ſuddenly on their Voyage, there was great Reaſon to ſuſpect they had ſome peſtilential Diſtemper on Board, they were therefore forbid to unload, and are ordered to perform a ſtrict Quarantine.

Turin, July 15. We are informed by our laſt Advices from Sardinia, that a Tuneſian Corſair, of 18 Guns, was drove on the Rocks near Cagliari, the Beginning of this Month, and was daſhed to Pieces, only five or ſix of the Crew having ſaved themſelves in their Chaloupe.

Warſaw, July 17. The Court is very brilliant, occaſioned by the Number of Nobility and Gentry who are continually coming here to pay their Duty to his Majeſty. 'Tis ſaid a Scheme for augmenting the Army of this Kingdom, and another for the better Regulation of the Revenues of the Crown, will be laid before the next Diet.

Stockholm, July 18. By our laſt Advices from Abo, the Commiſſaries of this Court, and thoſe of Ruſſia, have not as yet been able to adjuſt the Differences between the two Courts, in Relation to the ſettling of their reſpective Limits in Finland. The Squadron that ſailed lately from Cronſtadt, in order to exerciſe the Sailors in the Baltick, is ſhortly expected to return into Port, in order to be unrigged.

Bareith, July 18. The Margravine is perfectly recovered of her late dangerous Illneſs, and has begun to appear again in Publick; and Dr. Cothenius, his Pruſſian Majeſty's firſt Phyſician, who came here by the King his Maſter's expreſs Orders, to attend her during her Illneſs, is ſet out on his Return to Berlin. The Hereditary Prince of Anſpach, who has been here for ſome Weeks, ſet out on Tueſday laſt for the Court of the Margrave his Father.

Vienna, July 19. Yeſterday their Imperial Majeſties, accompanied by the Princeſs Charlotte of Lorrain, ſet out for Kitzee, a Seat belonging to Prince Eſterhaſi, from whence they will proceed to Presbourg. Before their Departure, her Imperial Majeſty was pleaſed to raiſe Major General Baron Terzi to the Rank of Lieutenant Field Marſhal. The Empreſs has ordered a Fund to be appropriated for the Relief of all thoſe who ſhall ſuffer great Loſſes by Fire or Storms, in which the Jews, as well as Chriſtians, are to have the Benefit. Count Keyſerling, the Ruſſian Ambaſſador at this Court, having received Orders to claim all the Ruſſian Soldiers in this Service, they are accordingly to be delivered to him, in order to their being ſent to their own Country.

Berlin, July 23. The King has conferred on Major General Amſtel, the Government of the Town and Caſtle of Stettin in Pomerania. They write from Landsberg, upon the River Warſe, that a prodigeous Flight of Locuſts have lately ſettled in that Neighbourhood, and greatly damaged the Fruits of the Earth.

Hambourg, July 24. The Prince of Saxe Gotha, and the Princeſs his Spouſe, who have been here for ſome Weeks paſt, are ſet out for Eutin, in order to ſpend ſome Time with the Prince Biſhop of Lubeck. M. Hiſs, an eminent Banker in this City, has received Bills of Exchange from Paris for a conſiderable Sum, which he has Orders to remit to Copenhagen, as Part of the Subſidy paid by his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty to the Crown of Denmark, by Virtue of a Treaty ſubſiſting between the two Courts.

Paris, July 30. In Conſequence of the Return of the Parliament, the Royal Chamber is ordered to be ſuppreſſed, and the neceſſary Letters Patent are preparing for that Purpoſe, but all their Decrees are to remain irrevocable. The King has declared his Intention of returning from Compeigne to Verſailles on the 5th or 6th of next Month. The Report of the Princeſs of Conde's being with Child, is confirmed.

Hague, July 30. The States of Holland and Weſtfrizeland ſeparated on Saturday laſt. They write from Leyden, that on Thurſday laſt the Magiſtrates of that City, whom her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Governante had lately nominated for the Year enſuing, were ſworn into their reſpective Offices.

Whitehall, Auguſt 3, 1754.

Whereas the Store Houſes, in which His Majeſty's Ordnance and Stores are lodged at Lambeth, were broke open in the Night between the 20th and 21ſt of April laſt, and Eight Braſs Chambers, the Property of His Majeſty, were ſtolen thereout: And whereas Daniel Lewis, being taken up for the ſame, and examined upon Oath, before one of His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace, did, on ſuch his Examination, confeſs, that he, together with John Hodges, now a Priſoner in His Majeſty's Priſon of Newgate, and by the Contrivance and Aſſiſtance of John Smith, now likewiſe in Cuſtody in the ſaid Priſon, as Aider and Abettor, were the Perſons who committed the ſaid Burglary and Robbery: And whereas the ſaid Daniel Lewis has ſince made his Eſcape out of the Gatehouſe, where he was then confined, His Majeſty does, hereby, promiſe His moſt gracious, general and free Pardon to the ſaid Daniel Lewis, upon Condition that he do, on or before the 20th Day of this Month of Auguſt, ſurrender himſelf to any one of His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for the County of Surry, and make a full and compleat Diſcovery of all Felonies, which he has been concern'd in, or has had any Knowledge of. HOLDERNESSE.

General Poſt Office, March 2, 1754.

Whereas the Poſt Boy, bringing the Kent Mail to this Office, upon Thurſday the 28th of February laſt, was, between the Hours of Eight and Nine of the Clock in the Evening, attacked and robbed, at a Place called Snipps Hill, about a Mile beyond Sittingborn by three Footpads, one of whom fired a Piſtol, ſeized the Horſe which carried the Mail, beat the ſaid Poſt Boy cruelly, and cut the Mail from the Horſe and carried it away.

Two of the Perſons who committed this Robbery are deſcribed as ſhort Men, dreſſed like Sailors; and the other a tall Man in a red Coat.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, the Perſons, or any of them who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon or Perſons, whether Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, do, or ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby any one, or more of the Perſons, who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer, or Diſcoverers will, upon Conviction of any one, or more, of the ſaid Robbers, be intitled to the ſame Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and alſo have his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſt-Maſter-General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

N. B. This Mail was afterwards found and brought ſafe to the Office.

Adver-

Advertiſements.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Dethick, late of Wereham in the County of Norfolk, Eſq; deceaſed, are to come before Samuel Burroughs, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, London, and prove their reſpective Debts, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

ALL Perſons who have any Demands on the Eſtate of Sir Clifford William Philipps, Knight, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend an Account thereof in Writing to Mr. Totton, Attorney, in Devonſhire Street near Biſhopſgate, London, his Executer. And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Sir Clifford William Philipps, are deſired forthwith to pay their reſpective Debts to the ſaid Executer without farther Notice.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt lately awarded againſt Edward Wright, of Manchester, in the County of Lancaſter, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday the 27th Day of Auguſt Inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of John Dutton, called the Holt Moon Tavern in Manchester aforeſaid, to aſſent to or diſſent from their commencing or defending of one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate or Effects, and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matters relating thereto, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Straphan, late of Black Fryars, London, Porter, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 24th of Auguſt Inſtant, and on the 17th of September next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Crawford, Attorney, on St. Mary at Hill, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Samuel Larwood, of Saint Ann's Lane, near Alderſgate, London, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 21ſt of Auguſt Inſtant, and on the 17th of September next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Berry, Attorney, in Palace Yard, Weſtminſter.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Leckonby, late of Liverpoole in the County of Lancaſter, Grocer, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th and 27th of Auguſt Inſtant, and on the 17th of September next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Edward Rathbone, being the Sign of the Golden Talbot, in Liverpoole aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Aſpinwall, Attorney, in Liverpoole.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Barker, of Liverpoole in the County of Lancaſter, Grocer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 13th Day of Auguſt Inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Edward Rathbone, known by the Sign of the Golden Talbot in Liverpoole aforeſaid, and on the 16th and 17th of September next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of William Roberts, known by the Name of the Merchants Coffee Houſe in Liverpoole aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Aſpinwall, Attorney, in Liverpoole.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Brownbill, of Liverpoole in the County of Lancaſter, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 13th of Auguſt Inſtant, and on the 16th and 17th of September next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Edward Rathbone, known by the Sign of the Golden Talbot in Liverpoole aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame, but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Aſpinwall, Attorney, in Liverpoole.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Croft Williamſon, late of Liverpoole in the County of Lancaſter, Merchant and Gunſmith, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th and 27th Days of Auguſt Inſtant, and on the 17th of September next, at Eleven o Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Edward Rathbone, being the Sign of the Golden Talbot in Liverpoole aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Robert Richmond, Attorney, in Liverpoole.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt William Hutcheſon, late of the City of Briſtol, Merchant, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid William Hutcheſon hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 27th of Auguſt Inſtant.

Printed by *E. Owen*, in *Warwick-Lane*. 1754.